

HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

: Docket No. 0074-456224

CHRISTOPHER HARGRAVE CHITTY

Art Unit 3712

Application No. 10/031,675

Examiner DMITRY SUHOL

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For: A FIBRESCOPE TRAINING APPARATUS

Petition for Extension Under 37 CFR §1.136(a)

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time of THREE month(s) beyond the time period set in the last office communication. The proper fee under 37 CFR §1.17 is enclosed.

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I hereby certify that this Correspondence is being deposited on May 4, 2004 with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope properly addressed to COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

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Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing the following:

- 1) Amendment and Response;
- 2) Fee Transmittal for FY 2004:
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 TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700 3) Government Fee (small entity) 3-months extension fee: check in the amount of \$475.00; and
- 4) Postcard receipt.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

In the event the check is improper, or the fee calculation is in error, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to the account of the undersigned attorneys, Account No. 04-1406. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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